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The Honorable David G. Estudillo

## IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WESTERN

LISA C. NEAL, an individual,

Plaintiff,

No. 3:20-cv-06025-DGE

DECLARATION OF JAYNE L. FREEMAN

CITY OF BAINBRIDGE ISLAND,

Defendant.

I, Jayne L. Freeman, declare as follows:

- 1. I am over the age of 18, and am otherwise competent to testify as to all matters herein, and make the following statements based on my own personal knowledge.
- 2. Attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u> are true and correct copies of email correspondence and their attached letters dated October 27 and October 30, 2023 between counsel regarding Plaintiff's Motion for Judicial Notice.
- Despite the court's ruling in Dkt. 119 and Dkt. 137, that Plaintiff would be permitted to conduct the Rule 30(b)(6) deposition of the City, previously scheduled for February, 2023, in August of 2023, Plaintiff subsequently issued yet another Rule 30(b)(6) deposition notice to the City and re-noted the deposition for December 1, 2023, just one month prior to the new deadline for filing dispositive motions set by the court. *See*, **Exhibit B**. The court's ruling permitting Plaintiff to proceed with the Rule 30(b)(6) deposition past the deadline for completing discovery was based on and limited to Plaintiff's First Amended Rule 30(b)(6) Deposition Notice.

- 4. The new deposition notice attempts to further expand topics for the Rule 30(b)(6) notice as well. The court has previously ruled that no further motions will be entertained regarding the scope of the Rule 30(b)(6) Motion. See, Dkt. 119 at 9.
- 5. In light of the court's prior orders, the City intends to wait until Plaintiff completes the Rule 30(b)(6) deposition prior to re-filing its motion for summary judgment in an effort to avoid further requests for continuance, delay, or unnecessary filings.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated this 6<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2023, at Seattle, Washington.

/s/ Jayne L. Freeman
Jayne L. Freeman, WSBA #24318

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** 2 I hereby certify that on November 6, 2023, I electronically filed the foregoing with 3 the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system which will send notification of such filing 4 to the following: 5 6 **Attorneys for Plaintiff Attorneys for Defendant City of Bainbridge Island** 7 Christopher L. Neal, WSBA #25685 NEAL FIRM, PLLC Kari I. Lester, WSBA #28396 8 P.O. Box 11215 OGDEN MURPHY WALLACE P.L.L.C. 9 Bainbridge Island, WA 98110 901 Fifth Avenue, Suite 3500 (206) 317-3000 Seattle, WA 98164-2008 10 Email: cneal@coveragenorthwest.com Telephone: (206) 447-7000 Fax: (206) 447-0215 11 Email: klester@omwlaw.com pabbey@omwlaw.com 12 13 14 DATED: November 6, 2023 15 16 /s/ Jayne L. Freeman 17 Jayne L. Freeman, WSBA #24318 Email: jfreeman@kbmlawyers.com 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 KEATING, BUCKLIN & McCORMACK, INC., P.S.